



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

*Attorney Docket No. 50990037-2*

Applicant: Pierre SAUVAGE et al.  
Title: AUTO-CONFIGURATION PROCESS FOR A POINT CODE IN A  
COMMON CHANNEL SIGNALLING NETWORK  
Appln. No.: 09/755,156  
Filing Date: 01/08/2001  
Examiner: Andrew W. WAHBA  
Art Unit: 2661

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Non-Final Office Action dated April 7, 2004 (Paper No. 4) and is submitted with a petition for a one month extension of time and the appropriate fee.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment (X) Petition to extend time to respond  
(X) New fee as calculated below ( ) Supplemental Declaration  
( ) No additional fee  
( ) Other: \_\_\_\_\_ (fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	16	MINUS	20	= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	5	MINUS	3	= 2	X \$86	\$ 172
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$280	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$420.00	3RD MONTH \$950.00	4TH MONTH \$1480.00		\$ 110
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 282

Charge \$ 282 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Respectfully submitted,

Pierre Sauvage, et al.

By 

Date of Deposit:

Typed Name:

Attorney/Agent for Applicant(s)  
Reg. No. 26,874

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: August 6, 2004